GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2059
ANSWERED ON:29.07.2002
FUNDS FOR REPAIRING OF HIGHWAYS
MANSINH PATEL

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of the two, four, six and eight lane highways in the country, State-wise;

(b) the funds spent on the repair of said highways during the last two years; State-wise;

(c) the names of the highways which are in bad condition at present;

(d) the time by which these are likely to be repaired; and

(e) the criteria followed in this regard ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL (RETD KHANDURI)

(a) Presumably, the information is sought about National Highways.

Lane-wise details of National Highways are enclosed at Annex.I.

(b) The State-wise details of allocation of funds for maintenance and repairs of National Highways, during the last 2 years, are enclosed at Annex.II.

(c) to (e) The National Highways are maintained in traffic worthy condition within available resources. However, there are some sections of National Highways which are in need of additional maintenance efforts. Government has alsoinitiated a programme for the improvement of riding quality of existing National Highways since 1999. Riding quality of about 23,000 km has so far been improved. Riding quality of balance length of the National Highways is targeted to be improved within the next two years. Works for improvement of riding quality are taken up on the basis of traffic needs, inter-se priority and availability of funds.

Annex.-I

ANNEX REFFERED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRTED QUESTION NO.2059 ASKED BY MANSINH PATEL FOR ANSWER ON 29.7.2002 REGARDING FUNDS FOR REPAIRING OF HIGHWAYS

(length in Km)

Sl. No	States	Total length of NHss	Length of NHs having Single/Intermediate Lane carriageway	Length of NHs having 2 lane carriageway	Length of NHs having 4/6 lane carriageway
1	Andhra Pr	4038	348	3617	73
2	Arunachal Pr	392	392	0	0
3	Assam	2836	848	1988	0
4	Bihar	3502	2196	1291	15
5	Chandigarh	24	0	11	13
6	Chhatisgarh	1774	891	877	6
7	Delhi	72	0	0	72
8	Goa	269	121	148	0
9	Gujarat	2461	0	1954	507
10	Haryana	1361	555	456	350
11	Himachal Pr	1188	825	363	0
12	J & Kashmir	823	97	726	0

13	Jharkhand	1413	829	541	43
14	Karnataka	3570	1617	1848	105
15	Kerala	1440	516	890	34
16	Madhya Pra	4664	1396	3217	51
17	Maharashtra	3626	314	3092	220
18	Manipur	954	734	211	9
19	Meghalaya	717	428	289	0
20	Mizoram	927	927	0	0
21	Nagaland	369	268	101	0
22	Orissa	3301	1603	1665	33
23	Pondicherry	53	0	53	0
24	Punjab	1553	0	1389	164
25	Rajasthan	4597	1716	2632	249
26	Sikkim	62	62	0	0
27	Tamil Nadu	3758	367	3292	99
28	Tripura	400	400	0	0
29	Uttar Pradesh	4942	581	4189	172
30	Uttaranchal	1075	760	315	0
31	West Bengal	1951	505	1361	85
	TOTAL	58112	9296	36516	2300

NOTE:- There is no National Highway having eight lane carriageway

ANNEX -II

ANNEX REFERED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2858 ASKED BY SHRI MANSINH PATEL FOR ANSWER ON 29.7.2002 REGARDING FUNDS FOR REPAIRING OF HIGHWAYS.

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl.No.	Name of States/Uts	2000-2001	2001-2002
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	5413.75	4220.04
2	ASSAM	4778.92	4149.18
3	BIHAR	6448.55	4516.12
4	CHANDIGARH	44.54	46.00
5	CHHATISGARH	1180.00	2419.99
6	DELHI	82.00	102.00
7	GOA	605.53	400.00
8	GUJARAT	2457.79	2582.17
9	HARYANA	1953.49	1942.61
10	HIMACHAL PRADESH	3351.03	1992.42
11	JAMMU & KASHMIR	284.42	85.92
12	JHARKHAND	960.84	1999.56
13	KARNATAKA	4683.83	3943.45
14	KERALA	3340.03	2335.64
15	MADHYA PRADESH	8634.19	6082.43
16	MAHARASHTRA	4295.00	5291.00
17	MANIPUR	824.49	936.05
18	MEGHALAYA	1016.71	1134.65
19	MIZORAM	981.43	499.53
20	NAGALAND	361.25	203.05
21	ORISSA	4776.99	4888.17
22	PONDICHERRY	182.10	85.29
23	PUNJAB	2085.62	2525.97
24	RAJASTHAN	4104.10	4468.55
25	TAMIL NADU	5380.57	4544.78
26	UTTAR PRADESH	6076.50	6619.14
27	UTTARANCHAL	459.30	1068.36
28	WEST BENGAL	5374.80	4202.77